Why have people developed organized societies and cultures?

The U.S. Government (3rd Grade)

* The need for governments
* The reasons for laws
* The roles of government
* The roles of citizens
* Contrast U.S. Government with neighboring nations

How have continuity and change been reflected in and across societies over time?

Daily lives (2nd Grade)

* How is student’s daily life the same as parents or grandparents
  + Where the live, what they eat, family roles, education….
* How is student’s daily life different from parents or grandparents
  + Where the live, what they eat, family roles, education….
* Examine family traditions
  + How have they changed
  + How have they stayed the same

What forces have created, encouraged, or inhibited human movement?

Routes of early explorers (5th Grade)

* Technological developments that made sea exploration possible
* Reasons Europeans chose to explore and colonize the world
* Examine the Atlantic trade routes